

Workers' Compensation Program

The Federal Employees' Compensation Act provides workers' compensation coverage to three million Federal and Postal workers around the world for employment-related injuries and occupational diseases. Benefits include wage replacement, payment for medical care, and where necessary, medical and vocational rehabilitation assistance in returning to work.

The WorkLife Center works closely with the employee and the Department of Labor's [Division of Federal Employees' Compensation](#) to process claims. The Department of Labor adjudicates new claims for benefits and manages ongoing cases; pays medical expenses and compensation benefits to injured workers and survivors; and helps injured employees return to work when they are medically able to do so.

Please see our [FAQ on Workers' Compensation](#) for more information.